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(S) Pol/Econ Chief delivered reftel points to Edgars Skuja, MFA U/S for bilateral affairs, October 16. Skuja said that the GOL wanted to see reconstruction proceed in Lebanon and was concerned that such maneuvers on the part of Syria would only add to the suffering of Lebanon's populace. He said Latvia would consult with EU partners on how best to address this information.
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